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In re the Application of:

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For: IMPROVED CATALYSER
HOUSING

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed January 29, 2001, for which the period for response is extended to March 29, 2001, Applicants submit herewith the executed Declaration/Power of Attorney to complete the filing of the instant application.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully request a one (1) month extension of time, up to and including March 29, 2001, to respond to the outstanding action in the above-referenced application.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite late filing surcharge (\$130.00) and extension of time (\$110.00) to Deposit Account No. 19-0733. In the event of Applicants' miscalculation of fees due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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